

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Peter J. McCARTHY et al.

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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION OF PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.47(a) AND  
SUPPLEMENTARY RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

In Response to the Decision Refusing Status Under 37 CFR 1.47(a) dated January 10, 2002,  
submitted herewith are the following documents for filing in the above-referenced application:

- (a) a declaration signed by inventor Kevin Ingram
- (b) a copy of the previously filed declaration as signed by inventor Peter J. McCarthy

The attached declaration recently signed by Mr. Ingram renders moot Applicants' Petition under 37 CFR 1.47(a) filed on December 17, 2001. It is believed that all items have now been submitted to comply with the Notice to File Missing Parts dated May 17, 2001. Accordingly, it is requested that the official filing receipt now be issued.

No additional fees are believed to be due in connection with this request. However, Commissioner. is hereby authorized to charge any additional costs or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-0219.

Respectfully submitted,

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